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Amendment

In the Claims:

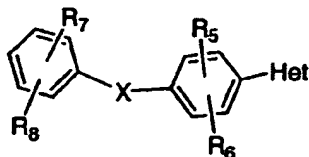
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Please cancel claims 11-14, 18-21, 26 and 27 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please substitute the following claim 1 for the pending claim 1:

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1. (Twice amended) A compound having the Formula I:

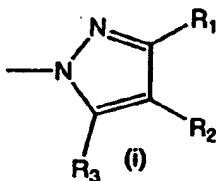


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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug or solvate thereof, wherein

X is one of O, S or CH₂;

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R₁ is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, optionally substituted alkyl, heteroaryl optionally substituted with one or more groups independently selected from the group consisting of halo, halo(C₁₋₆)alkyl, hydroxy(C₁₋₆)alkyl, amino(C₁₋₆)alkyl, hydroxy, nitro, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₆ alkoxy, aminocarbonyl, carbamoyloxy, C₁₋₆ alkylsulfonylamino, C₁₋₆ acyl and amino, C(O)R₁₀, CH₂C(O)R₁₀, S(O)R₁₀, and SO₂R₁₀;

R_2 and R_3 are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, cyano, aminoalkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkoxyalkyl, alkylthio, alkylsulfinyl, alkylsulfonyl, carboxyalkyl, alkylamino, dialkylamino, aminocarbonyl, alkylaminocarbonyl, arylaminocarbonyl, aralkylaminocarbonyl, alkylcarbonylamino, arylcarbonylamino, aralkylcarbonylamino, alkylcarbonyl, aminosulfonyl, alkylaminosulfonyl, and alkylsulfonyl;

R_5 , R_6 , R_7 , and R_8 are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halo, haloalkyl, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, hydroxyalkyl, aminoalkyl, carboxyalkyl, alkoxyalkyl, nitro, amino, ureido, cyano, acylamino, amide, hydroxy, thiol, acyloxy, azido, alkoxy, carboxy, carbonylamido and alkylthiol;

R_{10} is selected from the group consisting of amino, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, OR₁₁, alkylamino, dialkylamino, alkenylamino, dialkylaminoalkenyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycle, heteroaryl, aryl, aralkyl, arylalkenyl, arylalkynyl, and cycloalkylalkylamino, all of which are optionally substituted; and

R_{11} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, optionally substituted alkyl, and an alkalimetal.

Please substitute the following claim 15 for the pending claim 15:

15. (Twice Amended) A compound of claim 1, wherein:

R_1 is C(O) R_{10} , CH₂C(O) R_{10} , or SO₂ R_{10} ;

X is O or S;

R_{10} is amino, optionally substituted C₁-C₆ alkyl, or a heterocycle selected from the group consisting of N-morpholinyl, N-pyrrolidinyl and N-piperazinyl;

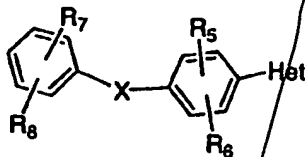
R_2 , and R_3 are independently hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkylthio or C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl,

R_5 and R_6 are as defined in claim 1, and

R_7 and R_8 are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halo, halo(C₁-C₆)alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkyl, hydroxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, amino(C₁-C₆)alkyl, carboxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, alkoxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, nitro, amino, C₁-C₆ acylamino, amide, hydroxy, thiol, C₁-C₆ acyloxy, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, carboxy, carbonylamido and C₁-C₆ alkylthiol.

Please substitute the following claim 16 for the pending claim 16:

16. (Twice Amended) A compound of Formula I:

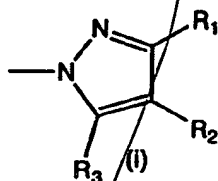


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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug or solvate thereof, wherein

X is O or S;

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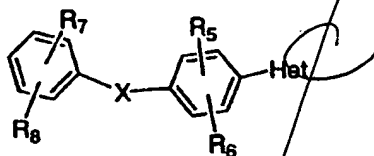
R₁ is C(O)R₁₀, CH₂C(O)R₁₀, or SO₂R₁₀ wherein R₁₀ is amino, alkyl, N-morpholinyl, N-pyrrolidinyl or N-piperazinyl, all of which are optionally substituted;

R₂ and R₃ are independently hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkylthio or C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl; and

R₅, R₆, R₇ and R₈ are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halo, halo(C₁-C₆)alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkyl, hydroxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, amino(C₁-C₆)alkyl, carboxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, alkoxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, nitro, amino, C₁-C₆ acylamino, amide, hydroxy, thiol, C₁-C₆ acyloxy, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, carboxy, carbonylamido and C₁-C₆ alkylthiol.

Please substitute the following claim 22 for the pending claim 22:

22. (Twice Amended) A compound of Formula I:

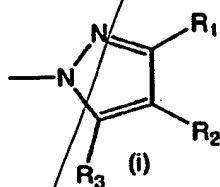


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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug or solvate thereof, wherein

X is O or S;

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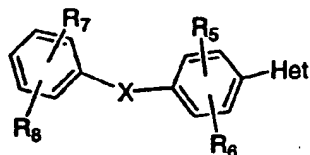
R₁ is C(O)R₁₀, wherein R₁₀ is amino, N-morpholinyl, N-pyrrolidinyl or N-piperazinyl, all of which are optionally substituted;

R₂ and R₃ are independently hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkylthio or C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl; and

R₅, R₆, R₇ and R₈ are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halo, halo(C₁-C₆)alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkyl, hydroxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, amino(C₁-C₆)alkyl, carboxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, alkoxy(C₁-C₆)alkyl, nitro, amino, C₁-C₆ acylamino, amide, hydroxy, thiol, C₁-C₆ acyloxy, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, carboxy, carbonylamido and C₁-C₆ alkylthiol.

Please substitute the following claim 25 for the pending claim 25:

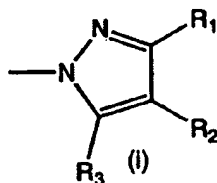
25. (Once amended) A compound having the Formula I:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug or solvate thereof, wherein

X is $\text{NR}_9\text{C}(\text{O})$ or $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_9$, where R_9 is hydrogen or $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ alkyl;

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R_1 is SO_2R_{10} ;

R_2 and R_3 are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, cyano, aminoalkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkoxyalkyl, alkylthio, alkylsulfinyl, alkylsulfonyl, carboxyalkyl, alkylamino, dialkylamino, aminocarbonyl, alkylaminocarbonyl, arylaminocarbonyl, aralkylaminocarbonyl, alkylcarbonylamino, arylcarbonylamino, aralkylcarbonylamino, alkylcarbonyl, aminosulfonyl, alkylaminosulfonyl, and alkylsulfonyl;

R_5 , R_6 , R_7 , and R_8 are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halo, haloalkyl, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, hydroxyalkyl, aminoalkyl, carboxyalkyl, alkoxyalkyl, nitro, amino, ureido, cyano, acylamino, amide, hydroxy, thiol, acyloxy, azido, alkoxy, carboxy, carbonylamido and alkylthiol;

R_{10} is selected from the group consisting of amino, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, OR_{11} , alkylamino, dialkylamino, alkenylamino, dialkylaminoalkenyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycle, heteroaryl, aryl, aralkyl, arylalkenyl, arylalkynyl, and cycloalkylalkylamino, all of which are optionally substituted; and

R_{11} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, optionally substituted alkyl, and an alkalimetal.